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RESIN, PRODUCTION PROCESS THEREOF, AND CONTAINER,
SHOCK-ABSORBING MATERIAL FOR AUTOMOBILE AND AUTOMOTIVE
MEMBER FORMED OF THE MULTI-LAYER EXPANSION-MOLDED
ARTICLE OF POLYPROPYLENE RESIN**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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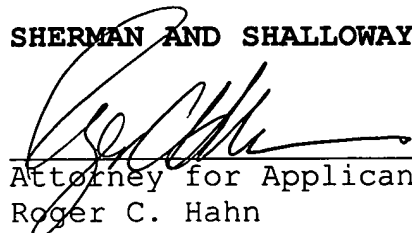
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- (3) Supplemental Amendment;
- (4) Submission of Corrected Drawing;
- (5) Replacement Sheet for Figure 9; and
- (6) Appendices A and B.

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Further to the Response filed on February 17, 2004, Applicants submit herewith a Supplemental Amendment in order to correct a mistake in claim 1. Applicants are submitting an Appendix A which contains a correction to claim 1 as well as amendments to the specification and drawings.